## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Charlottesville Division

ELIZABETH SINES, SETH WISPELWEY, MARISSA BLAIR, APRIL MUÑIZ, MARCUS MARTIN, NATALIE ROMERO, CHELSEA ALVARADO, JOHN DOE, and THOMAS BAKER,

Plaintiffs,

v. JASON KESSLER, et al.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:17-cv-00072-NKM

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

## MOTION FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION OF GEMMA SEIDITA

Pursuant to Rule 6(d) of the Local Rules for the United States District Court for the Western District of Virginia, I, Robert T. Cahill, an attorney admitted to practice in this Court, and counsel of record in the instant proceeding hereby moves the Court for the admission of Gemma Seidita, Esquire to appear *pro hac vice* on behalf of the Plaintiffs in the above captioned case and in support thereof states as follows:

- 1. Ms. Seidita is an associate with the law firm of Cooley LLP, 1299 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 700, Washington, DC 20004 (Tel: 202.842.7800, Fax: 202.842.7899, Email: gseidita@cooley.com
- 2. Ms. Seidita is qualified and licensed to practice law and is a bar member in good standing in the State of California (Bar ID No. 322201 since November 28, 2018), the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Bar ID No. 704591 since June 11, 2019), and the District of Columbia (Bar ID No. 1721862 since August 5, 2021). She is also a bar member in good

standing with the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit and the United States District

Courts for the District of Massachusetts and the Northern District of California.

3. Ms. Seidita agrees to submit and comply with the appropriate rules of procedure as

required in the case for which she is applying to appear pro hac vice as well as the rules and

standards of professional conduct applicable to all lawyers admitted to practice before this Court.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, it is requested that this Court grant this motion

and permit Gemma Seidita, Esq. to appear pro hac vice on behalf of Plaintiffs in the above

captioned case, and to appear at hearings or trials in the absence of an associated member of the

bar of this Court.

Dated: October 1, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that on October 1, 2021, I filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court through the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to:

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I further certify that on October 1, 2021, I also served the foregoing upon following non-ECF *pro se* defendants and participants, via electronic mail or First Class U.S. Mail, as follows:

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